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For: FACILITY SEARCHING DEVICE,)
PROGRAM, NAVIGATION DEVICE,)
AND FACILITY SEARCHING)
METHOD)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Please consider the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application before calculation of the government claim fees.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.